

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Kazuo OOYA, et al.

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ELECTRONIC AUDIT SYSTEM AND ELECTRONIC AUDIT METHOD

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement, dated February 16, 2005, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-6 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 7 and 8.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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